

Dorchester - 604
Mt.Zion School
MD.Rt.14
East New Market,MD 21631

1882

Access:Public

Mt.Zion School stands 100' from the southside of MD. Rt.14.
It is a gabled buildind (north-south) built of wheatherboard.
It has entrances at both gabled ends (this was done so the boys
would have their entrance and the girls theirs). It is the
oldest black school building in East New Market. It was placed on
this property in 1882. It was occupied until the early 1900's.

INVENTORY FORM FOR STATE HISTORIC SITES SURVEY

1 NAME

HISTORIC

Mt. Zion School

AND/OR COMMON

2 LOCATION

STREET & NUMBER

CITY, TOWN

East New Market Philadelphia Penna (MD 1913)

JUL 12/20/93

East New Market

VICINITY OF

CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT

First

STATE

Maryland

COUNTY

Dorchester

3 CLASSIFICATION

CATEGORY

☐ DISTRICT
☒ BUILDING(S)
☐ STRUCTURE
☐ SITE
☐ OBJECT

OWNERSHIP

☐ PUBLIC
☒ PRIVATE
☐ BOTH

PUBLIC ACQUISITION

☐ IN PROCESS
☐ BEING CONSIDERED

STATUS

☐ OCCUPIED
☒ UNOCCUPIED
☐ WORK IN PROGRESS
☒ ACCESSIBLE
☐ YES: RESTRICTED
☐ YES: UNRESTRICTED
☐ NO

PRESENT USE

☐ AGRICULTURE ☐ MUSEUM
☐ COMMERCIAL ☐ PARK
☐ EDUCATIONAL ☐ PRIVATE RESIDENCE
☐ ENTERTAINMENT ☐ RELIGIOUS
☐ GOVERNMENT ☐ SCIENTIFIC
☐ INDUSTRIAL ☐ TRANSPORTATION
☐ MILITARY ☒ OTHER Deserted

4 OWNER OF PROPERTY

NAME

Trustees, Mt. Zion ME Church
C/O Rev. Nelson C. Stanley

Telephone #: 943-4383

STREET & NUMBER

CITY, TOWN

East New Market

VICINITY OF

STATE, zip code
MD, 21631**5 LOCATION OF LEGAL DESCRIPTION**

COURTHOUSE

REGISTRY OF DEEDS, ETC. Dorchester Co. Court House

STREET & NUMBER

Liber #:

Unable to

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locate

CITY, TOWN

Cambridge

STATE

Maryland

6 REPRESENTATION IN EXISTING SURVEYS

TITLE

N/A

DATE

☐ FEDERAL ☐ STATE ☐ COUNTY ☐ LOCALDEPOSITORY FOR
SURVEY RECORDS

CITY, TOWN

STATE

7 DESCRIPTION

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CONDITION		CHECK ONE	CHECK ONE
<input type="checkbox"/> EXCELLENT	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> DETERIORATED	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> UNALTERED	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> ORIGINAL SITE
<input type="checkbox"/> GOOD	<input type="checkbox"/> RUINS	<input type="checkbox"/> ALTERED	<input type="checkbox"/> MOVED
<input type="checkbox"/> FAIR	<input type="checkbox"/> UNEXPOSED		DATE 1832

DESCRIBE THE PRESENT AND ORIGINAL (IF KNOWN) PHYSICAL APPEARANCE

Mt. Zion School stands 100' from the southside of Md. Rt. 14. It is a gabled building (north-south) built of weatherboard. It has two entrances one on the north and one on the south. This was done to accommodate both sexes (one entrance was for the boys and one for the girls). The north entrance has two broken steps that lead to a boarded up doorway there are two clear panes above the door. The south entrance has six steps up (concrete) to a glass and wooden single door (the transom has been blocked). The building is 30' across and 60' in depth, it is now filled with junk. There are 5 6-over-6 6' clear-glass windows in the west side of the building and 5 identical windows on the eastside. The building rests on brick piers and has a wooden shingle roof.

CONTINUE ON SEPARATE SHEET IF NECESSARY

8 SIGNIFICANCE

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ERIOD		AREAS OF SIGNIFICANCE -- CHECK AND JUSTIFY BELOW			
<input type="checkbox"/> PREHISTORIC	<input type="checkbox"/> ARCHEOLOGY-PREHISTORIC	<input type="checkbox"/> COMMUNITY PLANNING	<input type="checkbox"/> LANDSCAPE ARCHITECTURE	<input type="checkbox"/> RELIGION	
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<input type="checkbox"/> 1500-1599	<input type="checkbox"/> AGRICULTURE	<input type="checkbox"/> ECONOMICS	<input type="checkbox"/> LITERATURE	<input type="checkbox"/> SCULPTURE	
<input type="checkbox"/> 1600-1699	<input type="checkbox"/> ARCHITECTURE	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> EDUCATION	<input type="checkbox"/> MILITARY	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> SOCIAL/HUMANITARIAN	
<input type="checkbox"/> 1700-1799	<input type="checkbox"/> ART	<input type="checkbox"/> ENGINEERING	<input type="checkbox"/> MUSIC	<input type="checkbox"/> THEATER	
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 1800-1899	<input type="checkbox"/> COMMERCE	<input type="checkbox"/> EXPLORATION/SETTLEMENT	<input type="checkbox"/> PHILOSOPHY	<input type="checkbox"/> TRANSPORTATION	
<input type="checkbox"/> 1900-	<input type="checkbox"/> COMMUNICATIONS	<input type="checkbox"/> INDUSTRY	<input type="checkbox"/> POLITICS/GOVERNMENT	<input type="checkbox"/> OTHER (SPECIFY)	
		<input type="checkbox"/> INVENTION			

SPECIFIC DATES 1882

BUILDER/ARCHITECT

STATEMENT OF SIGNIFICANCE

This is the oldest black school in East New Market. It was occupied until the early 1940's. It was placed on this property in 1882. It is presently being used to store junk in.

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9 MAJOR BIBLIOGRAPHICAL REFERENCES

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10 GEOGRAPHICAL DATA

ACREAGE OF NOMINATED PROPERTY _____

VERBAL BOUNDARY DESCRIPTION

LIST ALL STATES AND COUNTIES FOR PROPERTIES OVERLAPPING STATE OR COUNTY BOUNDARIES

STATE

COUNTY

STATE

COUNTY

11 FORM PREPARED BY

NAME / TITLE

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ORGANIZATION

Maryland Commission on Afro-American
History & Culture

DATE

STREET & NUMBER

20 Dean Street

TELEPHONE

269-2893

CITY OR TOWN

Annapolis

STATE

Maryland

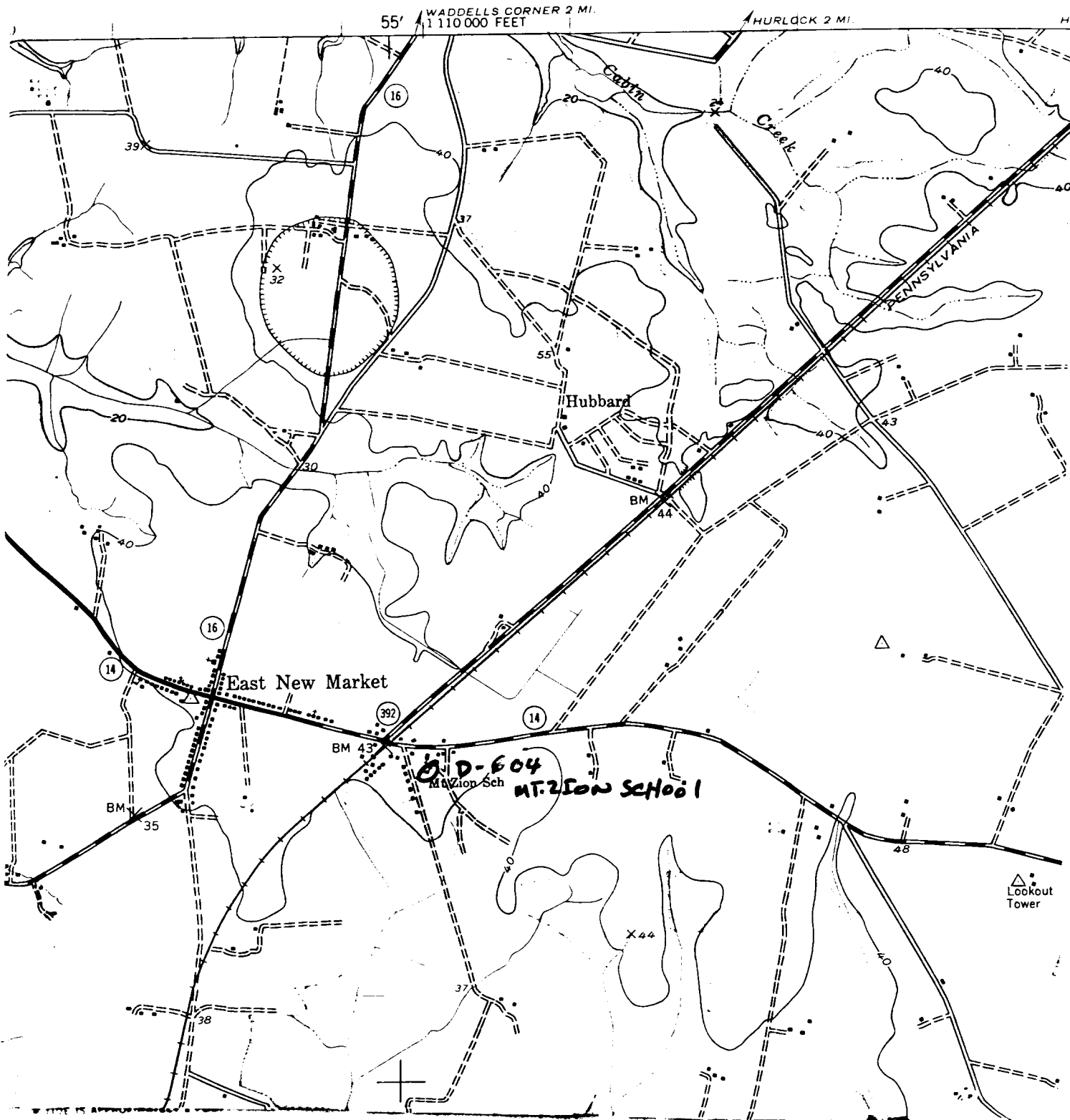
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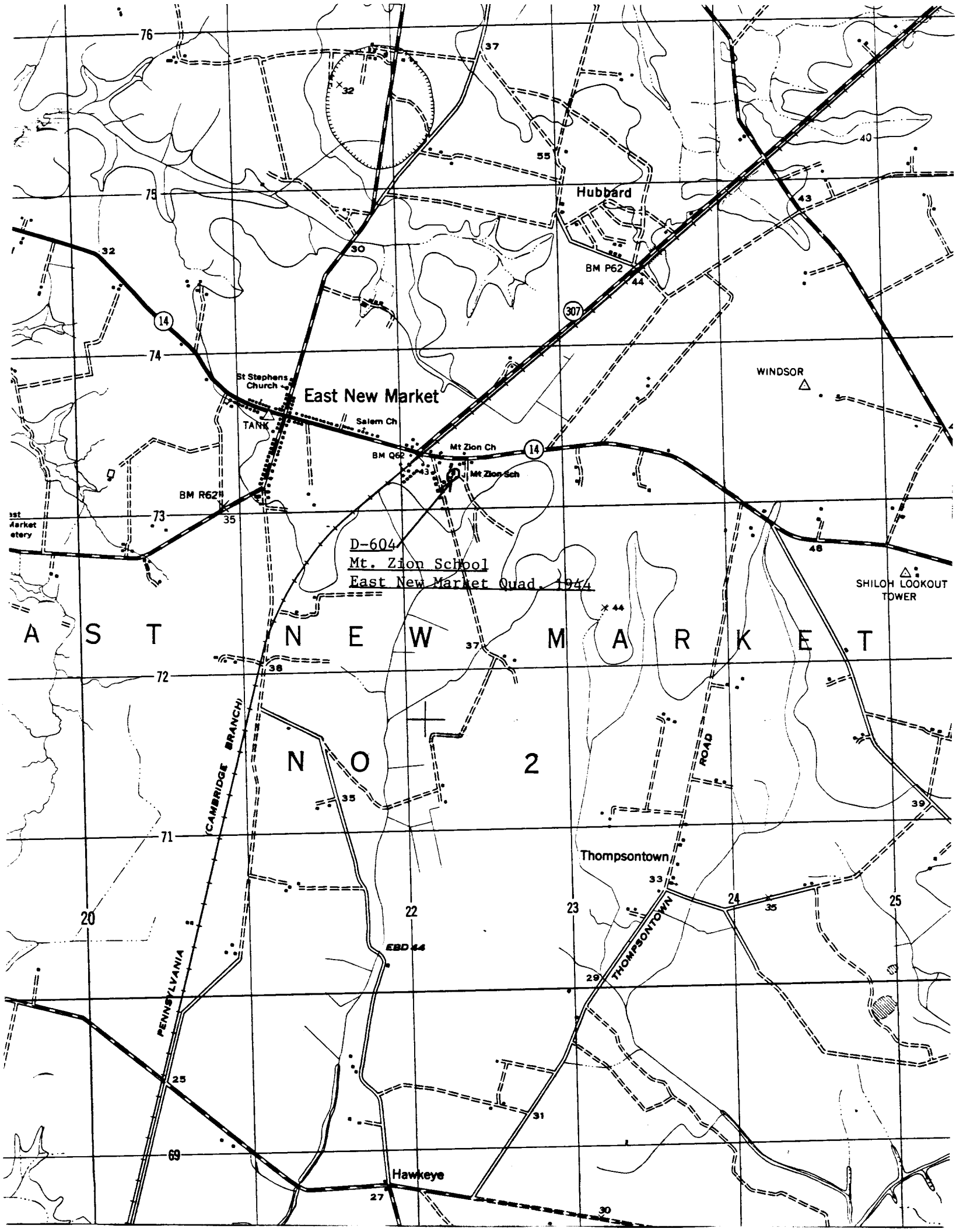
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MARYLAND
7.5 MINUTE SERIES (TOPO
SW/4 HURLOCK 15' QUADRA



NATIONAL MAP ACCURACY STANDARD
CAL SURVEY, WASHINGTON 25, D. C.
MAPS AND SYMBOLS IS AVAILABLE ON REQUEST

EAST NEW MARKET



76

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Hubbard

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BM P62

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St Stephens Church

East New Market

Salem Ch

TANK

Mt Zion Ch

14

BM Q62

Mt Zion Sch

BM R62

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Mt. Zion School

East New Market Quad. 1944

WINDSOR

SHILOH LOOKOUT TOWER

A S T N E W M A R K E T

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N O 2

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CAMBRIDGE BRANCH

ROAD

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PENNSYLVANIA

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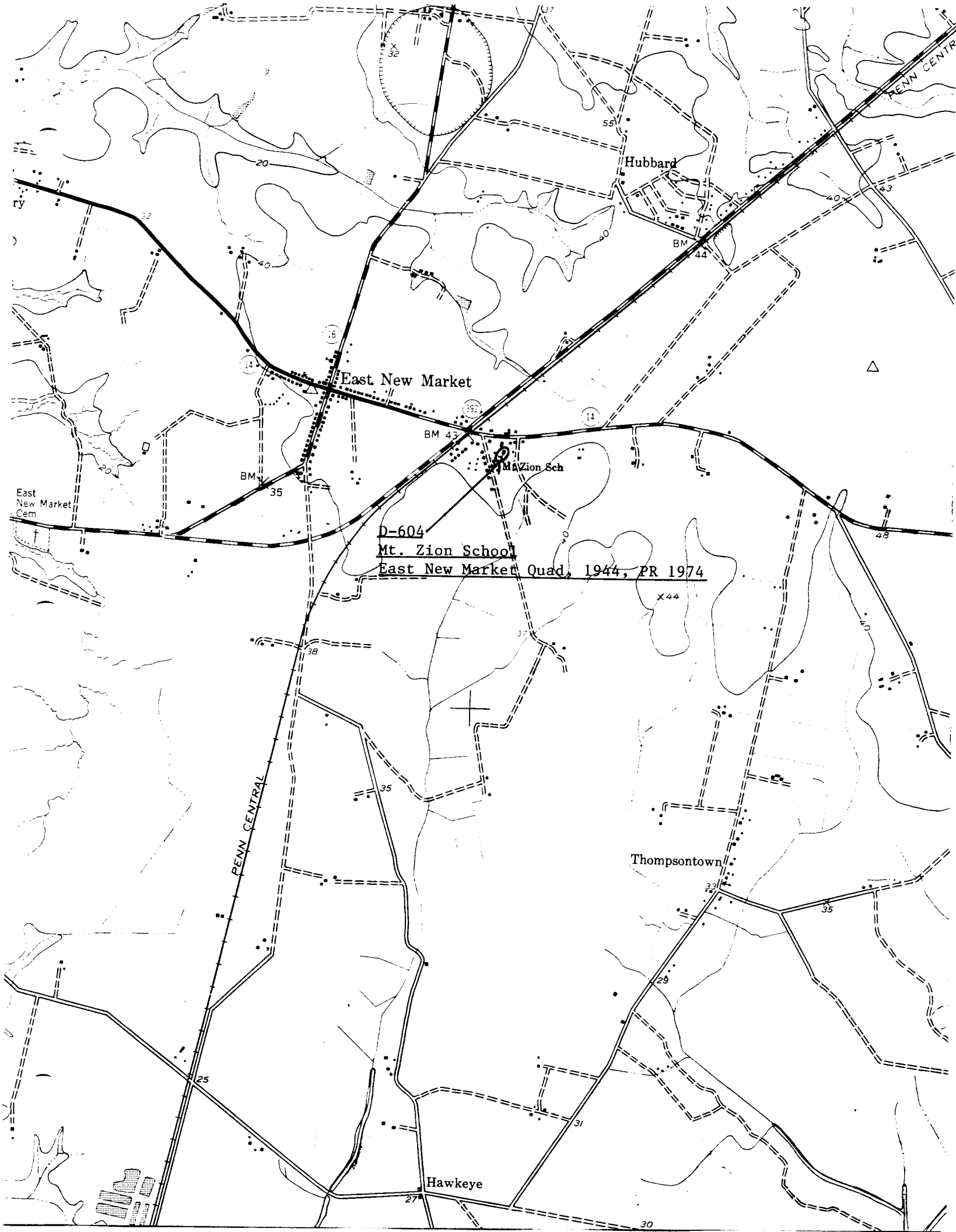
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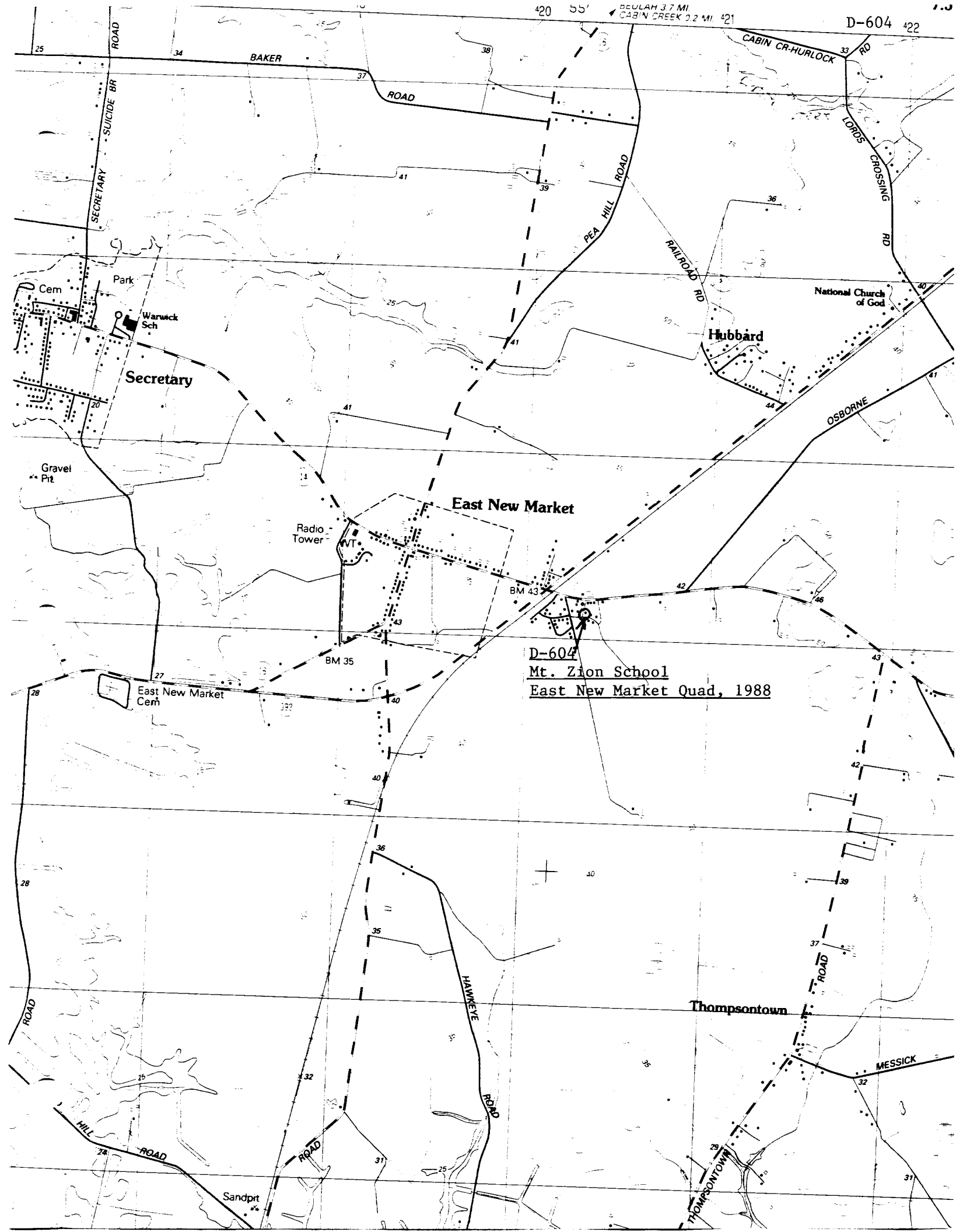
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SEULAH 3.7 MI
CABIN CREEK 0.2 MI

CABIN CR-HURLOCK RD

LODGE CROSSING RD

National Church of God

Hubbard

OSBORNE

East New Market

Radio Tower

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Mt. Zion School
East New Market Quad, 1988

Secretary

East New Market Cem

Thompstontown

MESSICK

Sandpit



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East New Market, Dorchester County, MD
Michael Hosford

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Maryland Historical Trust, Annapolis, MD
Northwest elevation
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East New Market, Dorchester County, MD
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Maryland Historical Trust, Annapolis, MD
South elevation
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